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For: WAGERING INTERFACE SYSTEM AND METHOD

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- [ ] A copy of the Search Report from a corresponding British application is enclosed herewith.
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Respectfully submitted,

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